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SUBJECT: HUNGARIAN MINORITY IN ROMANIA

1. SINCE HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE HEARINGS ON TRADE AGREEMENT THERE HAVE BEEN NUMEROUS ITEMS INSERTED IN CONGRESSIONAL RECORD CONCERNING ALLEGED MISTREATMENT OF HUNGARIAN MINORITY IN ROMANIA. CONGRESSMAN HELSTOSKI RAISED THIS ISSUE ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS DURING HEARINGS IN RATHER BROAD AND GENERAL TERMS. THRUST OF ITEMS APPEARING IN CONGRESSIONAL RECORD IS THAT SITUATION OF MINORITY, AFTER STABILIZING DURING LATE 1960'S AND EARLY 1970'S, TOOK TURN FOR WORSE IN EARLY 1974. POINTS SINGLED OUT ARE TREATMENT OF HUNGARIANS IN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS, DISPERSAL OF HUNGARIAN MINORITY TO NON-HUNGARIANS AREAS FOR JOB PURPOSES, AND 1974 CHANGES IN STATE ARCHIVES REGULATIONS WHICH BRING ARCHIVES OF HUNGARIAN CHURCHES UNDER STATE CONTROL. (CONCERN ON LAST PROBABLY SPARKED BY ARTICLE IN ZURICH NEWSPAPER WHICH HAS BEEN WIDELY CIRCULATED AND QUOTED.)

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2. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY COMMENTS ON THIS SUBJECT WHICH MAY RECEIVE CONTINUING ATTENTION DURING WEEKS AHEAD. KISSINGER

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